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TO AMEMBASSY BERLIN PRIORITY  
AMEMBASSY VIENNA PRIORITY

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TAGS: SCUL, GE, AU

SUBJECT: SILBERMANN PIPE ORGANS IN THE GDR

REF: A.) BERLIN 6451 B.) BERLIN 6388 (NOTAL)

1. FOR BERLIN: CONGRESSMAN WYLIE'S OFFICE HAS INFORMED DEPARTMENT THAT MR. AND MRS. LOWELL RILEY ARE PRESENTLY IN VIENNA THROUGH OCTOBER 4. RILEYS AWARE OF CONTENTS OF REF B AND WERE TO HAVE INFORMED EMBASSY BERLIN OF THEIR PLANS AFTER ARRIVAL IN EUROPE.

2. FOR VIENNA: EMBASSY REQUESTED CONTACT MR. RILEY C/O AMERICAN EXPRESS INTERNATIONAL, KAERTNERSTRASSE 21/23, VIENNA BEFORE OCTOBER 4 WITH REQUEST THAT HE PROVIDE EMBASSY BERLIN WITH FOLLOWING INFORMATION:

- A.) TYPE OF VISIT TO THE GDR - PRIVATE, INSTITUTIONAL OR OFFICIAL;
- B.) DATE OF ARRIVAL IN THE GDR;
- C.) BORDER CROSSING POINT;
- D.) KIND OF TAPE RECORDER AND TAPES TO BE USED.

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3. FOR EMBASSY VIENNA'S INFORMATION, RILEYS ARE INTERESTED IN VISITING THE GDR TO MAKE TAPE RECORDINGS OF PERFORMANCES ON FAMOUS SILBERMANN ORGANS. PERMISSION TO MAKE RECORDINGS HAS BEEN DENIED SO FAR BY GDR. HOWEVER, EMBASSY BERLIN INFORMED DEPARTMENT IN REF A THAT GDR TRAVEL BUREAU STATES IT WILL ATTEMPT TO FACILITATE RILEY REQUEST, ALTHOUGH THERE IS NO GUARANTEE THAT TAPING CAN BE DONE BY RILEYS PERSONALLY. PLEASE INFORM RILEYS OF ABOVE.

4. DEPARTMENT DOUBTS THAT RILEYS HAVE GDR VISAS AND WOULD APPRECIATE EMBASSY BERLIN'S PROVIDING APPROPRIATE GUIDANCE THROUGH EMBASSY VIENNA ON HOW THEY MAY BE OBTAINED. INGERSOLL

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